

IN THE CLAIMS

Please replace the claim listing with the following:

Claims 1 to 9 (canceled).

Claim 10 (currently amended): A method for cutting and folding printed products comprising the steps of:

driving with a first motor a first loop for cutting a signature and transferring the signature to a first gripper ~~with a first motor~~;

driving with a second motor a second loop for tucking the signature into a first jaw and transferring the signature to a second gripper; and

driving with a third motor a third loop for tucking the signature into a second jaw.

Claim 11 (currently amended): The method as recited in claim 10 further including altering a phase between at least the first and second loops, so as to set a lap or perform a mode change.

Claim 12 (original): The method as recited in claim 10 further including using a phasing center to alter a phase between a tucker in the second loop and the first jaw so as to perform a group jaw adjust.

Claim 13 (original): The method as recited in claim 10 further including using a phasing center to alter a phase between a tucker and a second jaw in the third loop so as to perform a group jaw adjust.

Claim 14 (canceled).

Claim 15 (new): A method for cutting and folding printed products comprising the steps of:

driving with a first motor a first loop for cutting a signature and transferring the signature to a first gripper, the first motor driving cutting cylinders and the first gripper;

driving with a second motor a second loop for tucking the signature into a first jaw and transferring the signature to a second gripper; and

driving with a third motor a third loop for tucking the signature into a second jaw.

Claim 16 (new): The method as recited in claim 15 wherein the first loop includes a phasing center to alter a phase between the cutting cylinders and the first gripper.

Claim 17 (new): The method as recited in claim 15 wherein the second motor drives a first tucker, the first gripper and first tucker rotating about a same axis.

Claim 18 (new): The method as recited in claim 17 wherein the second motor drives the first tucker and the first jaw.

Claim 19 (new): The method as recited in claim 18 wherein the second motor further drives the second gripper.

Claim 20 (new): The method as recited in claim 15 wherein the second motor drives the first jaw and second gripper.

Claim 21 (new): A method for cutting and folding printed products comprising the steps of:
cutting a web into signatures;
gripping the signatures with a first gripper driven by a first motor;
tucking the signatures using a first tucker driven by a second motor;
the first gripper and first tucker having a same axis of rotation.

Claim 22 (new): The method as recited in claim 21 wherein cutting cylinders are driven by the first motor.